1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
6.	Bihar Public Tubewells	Bihar	31.01.87	22.284 (78.00)	—	7.077 (34.76)	—	Completed
7.	Upper Krishna Irrigation Proj. Phase-II	Karnataka	16.6.89	169.208 (592.22)	26.420 (92.47)	40.984 (143.44)	11.081 (138.78)	Ongoing
8.	Maharashtra Composite Irrigation Project–III	Maharashtra	5.12.85	169.083 (591.79)	17.695 (161.93)	40.553 (141.93)	47.744 (167.19)	Ongoing
9.	Punjab Irrigation and Drainage Project	Punjab	9.2.90	171.429 (600.00)	7.037 (24.62)	23.414 (81.94)	24.591 (86.96)	Ongoing
10.	Haryana Water Resource Consolidation Project	Haryana	6.4.94	294.289 (1030.01)	—	14.423 (50.48)	17.840 (62.44)	Ongoing
11.	Tamil Nadu Water Resource Consolidation Project.	Tamil Nadu	29.4.95	282.9 (990.15)	—	—	12.438 (43.53)	Ongoing
12.	Orissa Water Resources Consolidation Project.	Orissa	19.12.95	290.9 (1018.15)	—	—	14.207 (49.72)	Ongoing

[Translation]

Killing of Soldiers

4772. SHRI GANGA RAM KOLI : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Indian soldiers killed while defending the borders during 1995-96;

(b) whether the Government propose to start any new scheme for the welfare of their families; and

(c) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI N.V.N. SOMU) : (a) to (c) During 1995-96 (from 1st April, 1995 to 31st March, 1996) 34 Army soldiers were killed on the spot while defending the borders.

The Army personnel killed in such incidents are treated as battle casualties. Their next-of-kins are entitled to benefits under the liberalised pension scheme. Other benefits include .compassionate employment etc.

Narmada Valley Projects

4773. SHRI PRAHLAD SINGH : Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the number and names of Narmada Valley projects and dams;

(b) whether the completion date of Rani Awantibai Sagar Project has been extended time and again;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor and the cost of escalation on this count;

(d) the latest position with regard to the construction of the above said dam; and

(e) the assessed life of the above mentioned dam?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI JANESHWAR MISHRA) : (a) to (e) Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

[English]

Smuggling of Rare Ancient 'Antiques'

4774. SHRI DADA BABURAO PARANJPE:
SHRIMATI SUMITRA MAHAJAN:

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government are aware that police had unearthed the smuggling of rare ancient monuments in July, 1996 during the raid at the residence of a retired officer of Madhya Pradesh Electricity Board;

(b) if so, whether any enquiry has been conducted in this regard;

(c) if so, the findings thereof; and